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## THE ARIZONA HORROR

Proves Worse than at First Reported.

MANY PEOPLE ARE MISSING.

An Expression of Sympathy for Exiled Russians.

Arrest of Grave Robbers at New Albany, Indiana.

The Arizona Disaster.

Special to the GAZETTE.

PRESCOTT, Ariz., Feb. 25.—The worst fears concerning the Walnut Grove disaster are more than realized, though the particulars come in slowly and are still meagre. Two prospectors arrived here late last night from the upper dam. They state that they camped above the plain on Friday night, and that about 1 o'clock on Saturday morning the dam broke and the water rushed down the steep and narrow canyon in a solid body 80 feet high. One man was rescued from the top of a tree. The prospectors state that not even a remnant of the dam exists. The immense body of water, one and a half miles square and 60 feet deep, was emptied in an hour. They had talked with many persons from the smaller dam, 15 miles below, who said that up to Saturday evening 25 bodies had been recovered, but could give no additional names. The survivors were in the greatest destitution, having neither provisions nor clothing. Coarse grain sacks were used in the place of clothing. The camp of the workmen engaged in building a flume had not been heard from at all, and it is believed that all were drowned. No news has been received here from Wickenburg or from the other settlements below the dam. More definite particulars are looked for now every minute.

**Grave Robbers Caught.**  
By Associated Press.  
LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb. 25.—The city is agog on account of an attempt by three prominent local physicians of this city to rob the graves of T. Johnson and Ed. Pearce, buried at the New Albany cemetery on Saturday. The men were to commit the deed early this morning, but the officers got wind of it and were in waiting. Dr. J. T. Blackburn and Dr. W. E. Grant were arrested and placed in jail, but the third doctor fled, and his identity is not known.

The negro who drove the wagon was shot dead as he started to run, and a second colored man who went along to help the ghoul was also arrested. The medical students from this city are said to have robbed the same cemetery repeatedly.

The offense is a felony in Indiana.

**Senate Silver Bill.**  
By Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—In the silver bill which will be reported by the Senate Committee on Finance, Secretary Windom is authorized to increase the purchase of silver bullion from two to four and a half millions per month and to purchase gold bullion in unrestricted quantities. Upon the gold and silver bullion the Secretary shall issue Treasury notes of such denominations as he shall see fit, to be redeemable in lawful money.

(The above would be a move in the right direction if Secretary Windom had been required instead of "authorizing" to increase the purchase of silver bullion from two to four and a half millions per month.—Ed. GAZETTE.)

**Sympathy for Siberian Exiles.**  
By Cable and Associated Press.  
LONDON, Feb. 25.—A committee has been formed in London, with branches at Newcastle and other places, for the purpose of endeavoring to secure a mitigation of the severe treatment accorded the political prisoners in Siberia. A number of workmen's clubs and Radical and Socialist associations will hold a demonstration in Hyde Park on March 9th in favor of the prisoners now in exile in Siberia.

**Saved by the Night.**  
By Cable and Associated Press.  
PARIS, Feb. 25.—Alexander Joseph Oliva, the sculptor, died to-day. He was born in this city in 1842.

In the vote in the Deputies on the proposed amnesty, 190 Republicans, the whole minority, voted against the Government. Cassagnac exclaimed: "The Government has been saved by the night."

**A Powder Explosion.**  
By Cable and Associated Press.  
HAVANA, Feb. 25.—A barrel of powder exploded yesterday at Scena station, a suburb of Havana, destroying one house and injuring thirty workmen—seven severely.

## A North and South Line.

By Associated Press.  
TOPEKA, Kan., Feb. 25.—The charter is filed here for the Kearney, Hutchinson & Gulf Railroad, from Kearney Junction, Iowa, on the Union Pacific, to Galveston, Texas, a distance of 900 miles. The opinion is expressed here that it is a Union Pacific enterprise.

**A Fatal Washout.**  
By Associated Press.  
EVANSVILLE, Ind., Feb. 25.—The rain which left at 1:25 A. M. for Indianapolis and Chicago ran into a washout north of Vincennes. The engineer and fireman were both killed, and it is rumored a number of passengers were hurt.

**Advised Not to Vote.**  
By Cable and Associated Press.  
BERLIN, Feb. 25.—The Conservative leaders recommend that their party abstain from voting on the second ballot in this city where the division is practically between the German Liberals and Socialists.

**European Labor Convention.**  
By Cable and Associated Press.  
BERLIN, Feb. 25.—Baron Von Berlepsch, the Prussian Minister of Commerce, will preside over the Labor Convention to be held at Berlin. The discussions will be carried on in French.

**Steamer Arrivals.**  
By Cable and Associated Press.  
HAYRE, Feb. 25.—The steamer La Bretagne arrived from New York this morning.

BERMUDA, Feb. 25.—The Elder, bound for New York, arrived here to-day.

**TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.**

Bar silver 95 1/2.  
At Winnipeg to-day the thermometer touched 28 degrees below zero.

**LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.**

**ANOTHER FIRE.**

**The Grand Central Hotel Badly Scorching.**

About half-past one this afternoon the alarm of fire was given, and it proved to be in the Grand Central Hotel at the corner of Virginia street and the Plaza. How the fire originated is not known, but it was in the attic or upper story and apparently in the rear end of the building.

The timely appearance of citizens caused the engines to be soon in place and two streams of water were playing, one on the inside and the other on the east side of the hotel. For a time it looked as if all east on that block would have to go, the wind being from the west.

The nozzlemen stationed between the Grand Central and Tremont Hotels played on either house and thus confined the flames to the Grand Central and prevented their spread. The upper portion of the Grand Central was gutted, and the whole inside of the building is seriously damaged by fire and water. Much of the furniture was taken out, but wrecked.

The building is insured in the Commercial Union to the amount of \$3,500, which will cover the loss. The furniture and stock is insured in the Niagara for \$1,400, which will not make Dan O'Keefe whole.

The work done to save the building and to control the flames was the most meritorious of any that has been in Reno for at least a long time.

If credit is due to any one more than another it is to Henry Rhue, Jr., and a Mr. Wolf of the Fire Patrol of San Francisco, who is visiting Reno. They took one of the nozzles, made their way up one of the inner stairs and there battled with true firemen's pluck.

**BOARD OF AGRICULTURE**

**Making Preparations for the Coming Season.**

The Board of Agriculture met to-day. There were present Directors Winters, Flint, Gould, Mulcahy, Martin, Powning and Bailey. The annual report of the President and Secretary was read and adopted and ordered printed.

The following officers were elected: W. H. Gould, President; C. H. Stoddard, Secretary; C. T. Bender, Treasurer; W. S. Bailey, Supt. of Grounds; P. H. Mulcahy, Supt. of Paving.

A vote of thanks was tendered the retiring President and also the Secretary for efficient services rendered.

A vote of thanks was also tendered the ladies who contributed in various ways to the success of the Fair.

On motion the price of life membership was raised to \$100.

The date of holding the next annual Fair was set for September 22d to 27th inclusive.

**Another Gale on the Mountain.**

The high winds of the past 36 hours have had the effect of again interfering with the moving of trains between Truckee and Blue Canyon. Last night a snow pile came down from Truckee and piled No. 4 to that place. This morning's east-bound passenger train was reported very late, which was interpreted to mean that the recent mountain breezes have given the railroad people about all they can handle.

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THREE MEN LOST AT SEA.

John Jacob Aster's Funeral To-day.

Four Shipwrecked Sailors Left to Perish.

A Washington Fire.

Special to the GAZETTE.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Feb. 25.—At about 1 o'clock this morning the county courthouse and jail were discovered to be on fire, and a high wind soon set the whole south half of the building in flames. The fire spread so rapidly that great difficulty was experienced in saving the five prisoners confined in the jail, situated in the basement of the building.

Burnett, a Deputy Sheriff, saved himself by jumping from a second-story window.

The building, which is stone and brick, was valued at \$55,000, and it is a total loss. It was insured for \$25,000. The Superior and Probate Court records were totally destroyed. The Auditor's and Treasurer's records are in vaults supposed to be fire-proof. Judge Bloomfield lost his library, valued at \$2,500.

The total loss to the county is estimated at \$100,000. The origin of the fire is unknown.

**The East Being Educated.**  
By Associated Press.  
CHICAGO, Feb. 24.—Hing Lee, a Chinese laundryman, was arrested yesterday, charged with inducing young girls to enter his store and then assaulting them. Anna Barstine, aged fifteen, was found in a room with him, and admitted she had been criminally intimate with him, and gave the names of several other young girls who entered the house. It is thought this will develop into another Milwaukee affair, as it is believed that the Chinese all over the city are at the same work.

**Left to Their Fate.**  
By Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—Captain Turner of the American schooner Harry Prescott reports that on February 8th he hove to near the wreck of a three-masted schooner, dismantled, water-logged, with the sea making a clean breach over her. Four men were clinging to the after-house, but, owing to the dangerous sea, Captain Turner says he was unable to render them any assistance. When last seen, the wreck was drifting towards Hatteras Shoals.

**New Commander-in-Chief.**  
By Cable and Associated Press.  
LONDON, Feb. 25.—The News learns as the result of the Army and Navy Commission report that the Duke of Cambridge will retire from the position of Commander-in-Chief and be succeeded by another member of the royal family.

The King of Corea is about to send another envoy to England, despite the vigorous protests of the Chinese Government.

**Federal Appointments.**  
By Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—The President has sent the following nominations for U. S. Consul-Generals to the Senate: Harold M. Sewall of Maine, at Apia; Henry W. Andrews of Ohio, at Hankow; John Fowler of Massachusetts, at Ningpo; William B. McCrory of Michigan, at Valparaiso, and John Steele of Pennsylvania, at Naples.

**A Money Making Trip.**  
By Associated Press.  
BALTIMORE, Feb. 25.—Kilrain has written to the Sun saying that he goes to Hot Springs not because of rheumatism or any other active illness, but to make money. He also says that he was sick when he met Corbett, who hit him in the eye with his elbow and would not give him a match afterwards.

**A "Four Hundred" Funeral.**  
By Associated Press.  
NEW YORK, Feb. 25.—The funeral services over the remains of the late John Jacob Aster occurred this morning at the Trinity Episcopal Chapel, and were conducted by Bishop Potter, Rev. C. E. Swopew and Rev. Morgan Dix. The funeral was largely attended by prominent people.

**Three Sailors Drowned.**  
By Associated Press.  
GLOUCESTER, Mass., Feb. 25.—The schooner "Marion Grimes," from George's Bay, reports that during a heavy gale three of her crew, while furling the jib, were washed overboard by a heavy sea and drowned.

## Proceedings of Congress.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—The Committee on Commerce called up and the House passed bills extending to San Diego and Wilmington, Cal., the provision of the act relating to the immediate transportation of dutiable goods.

The Senate Committee on Agriculture and Forestry to-day held under consideration the Faulkner pure food bill, which clothes the Bureau of the Agricultural Department with authority to inspect and analyze food and drugs, and with power to seize and destroy articles deleterious to health. Several unimportant amendments were proposed, and the bill will be put into shape by a sub-committee for action at the next meeting.

**SENATE.**

A number of bills were reported and placed on the calendar. Among them was one to authorize the purchase of gold and silver bullion and the issue of Treasury notes in payment. The bill directs the purchase of silver bullion to the amount of \$4,500,000 per month and as much gold bullion as may be offered, and the issue of Treasury notes, and repeals the law directing the coinage of two million silver dollars per month. Beck said the report from the Finance Committee was not unanimous, as he opposed it. Sherman and McPherson are also said to be opposed to the bill. Chandler's resolution, offered yesterday, was then taken up, and a bitter debate between Chandler and Call followed, after which the resolution was referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

**A Political Prisoner.**  
By Cable and Associated Press.  
PARIS, Feb. 25.—The Duc d'Orleans was last night removed from the Conciergerie to the prison at Clairvaux, and is treated as a political prisoner. The list of persons which have been permitted to visit him have been curtailed.

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## 5 O'CLOCK EDITION.

### What They Will Not Do.

The Salt Lake Tribune says: We were often told before election what the Liberals would do in case they elected their ticket, and since the election the word has been passed around to all the faithful that this was foretold, that this is to be the crucial year of Mormon suffering and despondency; that the Liberal office holders are going to make such mistakes that a return to the ancient "conservative and honest" rule will be asked for almost spontaneously. We have not the gift of receiving regularly, revelations. What the Liberal officers may do we will not pretend to predict, but we have a revelation of some things they will not do, though they have before them the example of their "honest and conservative" predecessors.

They will never on the Fourth of July half-mast the American flag for no reason except that the laws of the United States are being enforced.

They will never turn out in force to escort with cheers, music and banners a confessed convict from the Penitentiary.

They will never pinion or hold a man's arms while a lecherous Bishop horsewhips him.

They will never assault and throw filth in a lady's face in the street for the reason that she has told the truth.

They will never at night throw filth into the houses of Mormon officials for no reason except that under their oaths have performed their duties.

They will never after arresting and disarming a prisoner take him to jail and there deliberately beat him to death.

They will never deliberately station assassins in a dark and narrow alley and attempt to kill a Mormon official for no cause except that he has performed his duty.

When a Mormon official shall be attacked by four assassins and shoots one of them in self-defense he will not be published as a murderer next morning.

Peaceable and well-disposed people will never fear the Gentile police more than thieves or burglars.

Gentile officers will never establish houses of prostitution for the purpose of deceiving prominent Mormons into them; will never from the public funds pay clerks to send invitations to decent Mormons to call at houses which have been secretly fitted up and fully furnished as houses of prostitution, stating in the invitations that their presence is desired on important business; and will not employ the police in conjunction with the elders of the Christian churches to watch the developments in such houses through peep-holes.

They will never offer a premium to perjury by giving a miscreant a commission amounting to all the fines that may be collected from what lewd women he can succeed into coaxing into a compromising position.

They will not be blinded to the open practices of vice upon receiving hush money.

They will not establish a watch on Mormon business houses and warn people against trading in such houses.

They will not knock down and drag to jail drunken Mormons and carry tipsy Gentiles tenderly home.

They will not assess a Mormon's property twice as high as a Gentile's on the ground that one is a Mormon and the other a Gentile.

They will not use the revenues of the city for forty years, and at the end have nothing to show for it except some sets of books that the bookkeeper of the universe could not balance.

They will not call gentlemen to the door at midnight, lure them away on a pretense that some sufferer needs their assistance, and then assassinate them in front of their own door.

They will not try to boycott the business of such Mormons as will not sign a certificate of character for them.

They will not cause Gentile doctors to certify to the illness of Gentile murderers in order to keep

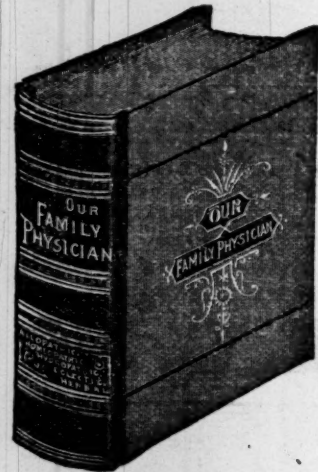
them out of court until they can be spirited out of the country. And, finally, if any Gentile officials prove to be thieves and scoundrels the Gentile press will not excuse, cover up or deny their guilt but will everlastingly warn them and help to bring them to justice.

GEORGE KENNAN, the man who has done so much to expose the infamy of the Russian Government in Siberia, is one of those fortunate authors who finds the greatest possible assistance in his wife. The couple have no children, and she is therefore enabled to devote all her time to her husband's interests, and this she does both willingly and successfully. Each day finds her at work recopying manuscript, reading proofs, translating some Russian piece or going over the receipts from his work and seeing to its investment or deposit. Mrs. Kennan is a thorough business woman of considerable business tact, and withal possessed of a great deal of personal attractions.

NEW SOUTH WALES has always boasted of her free-trade policy, by which she has turned many a nimble penny at the expense of her protection neighbors. Yet this colony, with immense natural resources, has to contend every year with an army of the unemployed. It is claimed that fully 1000 idle men are sleeping every night in the public parks of Sydney. An appeal will be made to the Government to give employment on the public works, but the outlook is gloomy, as this is midsummer in Australia, when there should be labor for all.

REFERRING to a recent item in the Council Bluffs Globe on the Idaho Mormon test-oath, the Salt Lake Tribune refers to the above paper as a multifold, manifold, monumental and measureless prevaricator.

## These Are the Books



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The Above Goods Are All of the Best Quality,

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TIME TABLES.

The following tables give the time of arrival and departure of passenger trains at Reno:

ARRIVE	TRAIN	LEAVE
7:15 a. m.	No. 1, Eastbound Ex.	7:45 a. m.
10:25 a. m.	No. 3, Eastbound Ex.	10:30 a. m.
9:30 a. m.	No. 2, Westbound Ex.	9:30 a. m.
3:35 p. m.	No. 4, Westbound Ex.	3:35 p. m.
V. A. T.		
9:00 p. m.	No. 1, Virginia Ex.	10:30 a. m.
11:20 a. m.	No. 2, S. F. Express	1:45 p. m.
11:20 a. m.	No. 4, Local Passenger	N. A. C.
6:00 p. m.	Express and Freight	7:45 a. m.
	Express and Freight	

Time of Arrival and Departure of Mails at Reno.

MAIL FOR	CLOSING	ARRIVES
San Francisco and Sacramento (via Truckee and Oregon, Wash. Ter. British Columbia, Yukon, Alaska, etc.)	8:00	10:00
Truckee, Cal. Lak. Tahoe, Eastern Nev. and States	6:45	8:00
Virginia, Carson, Glenbrook and Southern Nev.	9:30	10:00
Mono, Inyo, and Alpine counties, Cal.	9:30	10:00
Susanna, Cedarville, Quincy and points N. E.	7:30	8:00
Butte, Nevada, every Tuesday	7:30	8:00
Douglas, Lyon, Esmeralda and S. Yre counties, Nev.	9:30	10:00

JOTTINGS.

Go to E. C. Leadbetter's and get the best.

Go to the Riverside Hotel for a good room and bed and as fine a meal as can be had anywhere.

C. Lemery's Arcade Hotel and Restaurant continues to sustain its reputation as being first-class in every respect.

For a hot soup lunch and a glass of either Pacific or Fredericksburg beer, patronize George Becker's Granite saloon.

The short time the Central Pacific road was open, J. N. Wallace received enough of the best family groceries to supply all corners.

For the best pocket cutlery, all kinds of tobacco pipes and any kind of a walking cane, patronize C. A. Thurston's news depot.

The constantly increasing demand for C. J. Brookins' home manufactured candles obliges him to run his factory six days in the week.

Those in want of a good reliable time-piece should not fail to examine Richard Herz's stock, and his prices will be found entirely satisfactory.

J. F. Aitken's heavy dry teams are still kept busy supplying all corners with either limb or split wood, and besides he is selling the best hard coal at \$12 50 per ton.

During this disagreeable weather, J. J. Becker's nice fires and hot lunches are greatly appreciated by those who do not want to travel through the snow after their noon meals.

Take Care! There is Danger

In allowing inactivity of the kidneys to grow through neglect. The deadly shales of Bright's disease and diabetes will wreck the goodly bark of health if it is allowed to drift rudderless upon them. The bladder, too, if inactive and judicious medication does not speedily direct the helm toward the port of safety will be whelmed by the quicksand of disease. In selecting a diuretic, let your choice fall upon Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which stimulates the renal organs without irritating and exciting them, mediates stimuli largely resorted to. These have a tendency to react prejudicially. The Bitters invigorate the kidneys and bladder, in common with the nerves and the digestive organs, and so afford lasting aid. It also affords a assistance in preventing and curing intermittent and recurrent fever, biliousness and constipation and rheumatism it also subjugates.

CATARH.

Catarhal Deafness—May Fever A New Home Treatment.

Sufferers are not generally aware that these diseases are contagious, or that they are due to the presence of living parasites in the lining membrane of the nose and eustachian tubes. Microscopic research, however, has proved this to be a fact, and the result of this discovery is that a simple remedy has been formulated whereby catarh, catarhal deafness and may fever are permanently cured in from one to three simple applications made at home by the patient once in two weeks.

N. B.—This treatment is not a snuff or an ointment; both have been discarded by reputable physicians as injurious. A pamphlet explaining this new treatment is sent on receipt of three cents in stamps to pay postage. A. H. Dixon & Son, 337 and 339 West King Street, Toronto, Canada.—Christian Advocate.

Sufferers from Catarhal troubles should carefully read the above.

Remarkable Rescue.

Mrs. Michaela Curtin, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefited from first dose. She continued its use and after taking ten bottles, found herself sound and well, now does her own housework and is as well as ever was.—Free trial bottles of this Great Discovery are at Wm. Pinniger's Drug Store, large bottles 50c. and \$1.00.

Happy Hooters.

\* Wm. Timmons, Postmaster of Haville, Ind., writes: "Electric Bitters has done more for me than all other medicines combined, for that bad feeling arising from kidney and liver trouble." John Leslie, farmer and stockman of same place, says: "I purchased Electric Bitter to be the best liver and kidney medicine, made me feel like a new man." J. W. Gardner, hardware merchant, same town, says: "Electric Bitters, is just the thing for a man who is all run down and don't care whether he lives or dies; he found new strength, good appetite and felt just like he had a new lease on life. Only 50c. a bottle at Wm. Pinniger's drug store."

Buckley's Arsenic Salve.

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, oozes, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or to pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25c. per box. For sale by Wm. Pinniger.

Fryer's Abolition Ointment—A combination of the famous 18th century Yacht, Carbolic Acid and Thuringian preparations. The best healing and purifying remedy in the world for Catarrh Piles, Old Sores, Ulcers and all eruptions of the skin. Price 25c. Sold by Wm. Pinniger. The original and genuine Abolition preparations bear the signature of D. F. Fryer.

A WIFE MURDERER SENTENCED.

Jenkins Gets the Outside Limit for Manslaughter.

Last evening's Virginia Chronicle says: At 10 o'clock this morning Benjamin Jenkins, convicted of manslaughter for the murder of his wife Catherine on September 2, 1889, was brought into District Court room by Deputy Sheriff Bleakley to hear the sentence of the Court. After inquiring of counsel for the convicted man if he had any motions to make in the case and receiving a reply in the negative, Judge Rising asked the prisoner if he had anything to say before sentence was pronounced. Jenkins replied: "No, your Honor." The Judge then ordered the prisoner to stand up and prefaced the sentence with the following remarks: "You were indicted by the Grand Jury accused of the murder of your wife. After having been granted all the time requested for preparation, you were placed upon your trial; ally and zealously defended by counsel of your own choice; every indulgence was shown to you by the Court to present your defense. Awarded a perfectly fair trial, the jury convicted you of manslaughter, a most lenient condemnation under the testimony, in fact the lowest degree of crime which the jury could find you guilty of."

"You should feel very well satisfied with the result, especially so when the evidence was so strong and convincing that it would have clearly justified a verdict for either of the higher degrees of murder."

"The offense which you committed is a most serious and wicked one, and the proofs failed to disclose any excuse or justification for the deed; and there is nothing in the quality of your act which would commend you to clemency, but instead, from the character of the homicide, and all the circumstances attending its commission, the extreme penalty of the law as punishment is fully deserved."

"It is the sentence and judgment of the Court that you, Benjamin Jenkins, for the crime of manslaughter, be imprisoned in the State Prison of this State, at hard labor, for the term of ten years."

After the sentence Jenkins said: "I thank your Honor; you couldn't have done worse."

THE KENTUCK SUIT.

Governor Stevenson Granted Further Time to Explain.

Judge Wallace of the San Francisco Superior Court has granted Governor Stevenson a week's further time from last Friday to produce his books and vouchers in that court to show the number of tons of ore extracted from the Kentucky, the assay value, bullion yield and the cost of production while he held a lease on that mine. The extension of time was granted on a telegraphic order from the Governor, stating that it was impossible for him to get to San Francisco on the original date set on account of the Central Pacific railroad snow blockade. The S. F. Post says: "The evidence already taken in this case is not very favorable for the contractor who mined ore assaying upwards of \$20 at a loss. Mr. Evan Williams has testified that \$4 35 is the outside cost of working per ton. Senator Jones' report on the cost of reducing Con. Virginia ore at the time he held that mine under lease will also be introduced by the plaintiffs, as a fair criterion of actual profits realized from Constock ores."

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS.

A Very Pleasant Social Gathering Last Evening.

Last evening, at the Hall of Truckee Lodge, No. 14, I.O.O.F., Grand Chief Patriarch H. P. Brown, assisted by R. C. Leeper, E. C. Leadbetter, C. W. Jones, R. V. Peers and Donald McKay, installed the following officers: R. W. Ash, C. P.; S. Jacobs, H. P.; E. N. Wattney, S. W.; F. C. Updike, R. S.; T. Barnett, T.; J. E. Bradshaw, J. W.; G. O. McNeer, F. W.; B. Peck, S. W.; W. L. Cox, T. W.; S. W. Peck, F. W.; E. T. Hollingsworth, S.; G. Teasdale, G.; W. Eickbusch, F. G. T.; J. E. Phillips, S. G. T.

PERSONAL.

Senator Boyle and wife were in town yesterday.

M. E. Ward of the Nevada Bank is making a business trip to Susanville. J. F. Dennis, the Battle Mountain attorney, arrived in town on last night's express.

Stock Losses.

In a letter to Judge Wells at Carson, dated the 19th instant, F. M. Fellows, Sheriff of Humboldt county, says: "Replying to your letter of the 10th would say the loss in this county, as near as I can ascertain, will be: Cattle, 70 per cent.; horses, 25 to 30 percent.; sheep, 20 to 25 percent." And Senator Spruille, in a letter to the Judge dated the 18th instant, says: "I think the loss in Elko county will be at least 5,000 head of cattle, 1,500 head of horses and from 2,000 to 3,000 head of sheep. But if the storm keeps up three days, you can add 5,000 more cattle to the above."

BREVITIES.

Local and General Intelligence.

The snow continues to drift badly in the hills.

Judge Rising will hold Court here to-morrow.

Losses of stock in Mason and Smith's valley are reported light.

Colonel K. H. Lindsay has accepted an invitation from the G. A. R. boys of Carson to deliver their Memorial Day oration.

District Attorney W. D. Jones of Lander county has agreed to furnish the State Board of Trade with a synopsis of the resources of his county for \$25.

For all the best brands of tobacco, cigars and cigarettes patronize Marcus Fredrick's Commercial Row stand. He also repairs clocks, watches and jewelry.

Judges Haydon and Lindsey have brought suit in the United States District Court against the Southern Pacific Company, praying for \$5,000 damages for the death of young Mysega des who was killed at Laughton's switch last spring.

WEATHER PREDICTIONS.

General Irish Answers the "Gazette's" Interrogatory.

EDITOR GAZETTE: You inquire of me in last night's paper as follows: "About when can we look for that spring weather, General?" And this leads me to inquire back at you: What do you want? Plum blossoms and roses in the midst of snow-banks and temperatures of 4° and 6° above zero? I guess not. I don't believe that you are one of those who began two years ago praying for a long, hard, snowy, frosty winter—one of the old-fashioned kind—and are still praying.

No, sir! I don't think you desire more than you have had delivered, but that you yearn for balmy air, fragrant flowers and green grass once more. And so do we, all of us.

Time must be given, however, for this warm wind to take away the very cold coating of snow now covering Nevada before we can experience much pleasure from spring weather. This great body of warm air is pouring down into the vortex of the great storm center which has enveloped us for months at the rate of forty miles per hour, and it is coming with a temperature of about 65° above zero, while our cold surface at about 35° above zero cools it down to about 34° while at its work melting our snow-banks. Its work is going bravely on, and will succeed if the aforesaid prayers are not too loud and powerful. No, Mr. Editor, I did not contract to deliver you full-blooming spring in a day, or a week, but propose to take about three weeks getting it fully started. Remember we are getting an installment of the never-failing "equinoctial" now, a full month ahead of time.

AN ARIZONA CALAMITY.

Breaking of Dams and a Great Loss of Life.

In addition to the item in yesterday's GAZETTE concerning the breaking of dams in Arizona, the following from Phoenix under the same date has been received: A courier who arrived from the lower dam on the Hassayampa this afternoon, reported that a tremendous mountain of water came down the Hassayampa about 2 o'clock Saturday morning, and that 34 men who were working at the lower dam were drowned. They were all whites, except three Chinese. The courier reports that the town of Wickenburg is safe. The loss of life in the valley between the dam and Wickenburg is not known for some day, but it is without doubt considerable, and the number of the victims in the valley may possibly reach thirty or forty. The courier states that the upper dam had undoubtedly broken, and the force of water had carried away the two lower dams. The loss of property in dams alone will amount to \$800,000.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

The following is the list of letters remaining uncalled for in the Reno Postoffice February 24, 1890:

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|-----------------|-----------------|
| Bradshaw, M F   | Moore, Richard  |
| Baker, J T      | Moran, T        |
| Bready, Miss R  | Nelson, Harry   |
| Barber, Boys    | Peterson, Jacob |
| Barrett, J B    | Moore, J B      |
| Blark, C N      | Ladine, F D     |
| Blackwell, C    | Quigley, B C    |
| Canyon, Frank   | Richardson, W W |
| Clark, R        | Rail, Dr J      |
| Donm, Carrie    | Russell, S V    |
| Flemming, John  | Stephens, John  |
| Fisher, J H     | Smith, Herbert  |
| Hubbard, Mrs S  | Hubbard, Mrs S  |
| Hobbs, F W      | Vennia, Charles |
| Hoffmaster, Geo | Whitely, T J    |
| Jepsen, O       | Ward, D M       |
| Leete, J W      | West, T F       |
| Labom, Annie    | Martino, A      |
| Michel, V       | Milton, A G     |
| Miller, J J     |                 |

FOREIGN.

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|-------------|----------------|
| Algrinri, M | Nicolette, E L |
| Carlig, G   | Kedemacher, —  |
| Lavette, F  | Zumiga, D A    |
| Marea, V    |                |

CHINESE.

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| Sam Lee                     |  |
| J. C. HAGERMAN, Postmaster. |  |

Mrs. Brice Robbed of a Jeweled Ring.

Though Mrs. Calvin S. Brice, wife of the new Democratic Senator from Ohio, is modest in dress, she can appreciate the beautiful as well as any woman alive. The other night she attended a swell dinner, at which there were about a dozen guests. She wore a jeweled ring, unique and valuable, just given her by her husband.

Her neighbor at the table saw the ring and asked to examine it. Mrs. Brice graciously complied. The ring was passed round the board, and all this time a lively conversation on other matters was in progress. Mrs. Brice forgot all about the ring and, joined in the conversation. She has not seen the ring since. She will, if not returned, offer \$500 reward. Some of the 400 have not forgotten the tricks of their ancestors.

To Stockmen and Ranchers.

J. Wetlake makes men's heavy French kip shoes fast stock to order for 50c. 12 1/2 pair.

Repairing neatly and promptly done. 25c.

Railroad Conductors, ENGINEERS, FIREMEN, BRAKEMEN, GRIPMEN.

All that Ride Continuously TAKE NOTICE.

It is a well-known fact that nine out of ten of all classes of people whose business calling is railroading, where they ride day in and day out, will sooner or later complain of severe pains in their backs. CAUTION! What does this mean? Ask yourselves the question. We will answer it for you. Your kidneys are fast becoming diseased, and if you neglect them there is one result—CERTAIN DEATH. We have had many cases, and hold testimonials of railroad men that have taken their trouble in time, and by the use of the greatest vegetable remedy that has ever been introduced in the world, viz: THE GREAT SIERRA KIDNEY AND LIVER CURE, have been cured and their kidneys strengthened to such an extent that they can pursue their vocations without fear. This wonderful remedy is becoming daily the most popular of any Kidney and Liver Cure that ever has existed. Give it one trial and you will send to us a testimonial to add to our large and fast increasing list. For sale by all druggists.

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SAMUEL J. RANDALL.

Who Declined Pecuniary Aid from His Friends.

A few years ago a very warm friend and admirer of the ex-Speaker called on Mrs. Randall and informed her that he had determined to make a provision for Mr. Randall for the benefit of his family to the extent of \$75,000. He did this, he said, after having learned that he was a comparatively poor man. He had been in public life for nearly thirty years and was then as poor as when he began. He, therefore, had made up his mind to set aside the above sum as indicated. He requested Mrs. Randall to broach the subject to her own way and hoped that he might get a favorable reply.

Some days after he saw Mrs. Randall. She informed him that Mr. Randall would not listen to any such proposition at all, and requested her to say that under no circumstances would he accept. This has been Mr. Randall's invariable attitude concerning all benefactions for his benefit. The gentleman was very much surprised at the reply, as he hoped that he might be permitted to do this desired kindness. The gentleman has since died and left an estate worth several millions. He remained until his death a devoted friend of the distinguished Pennsylvanian.

NO LONGER A TERROR.

Modern Treatment that Cures Constipation.

According to the San Francisco dailies a remedy has been discovered that with almost unerring certainty overcomes constipation. It is the new laxative principle in Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla. The papers are full of recent occurrences confirming its efficacy, and we give place to their last sensation, a card from San Francisco's well known lady manufacturer. She says: "I am writing to relate the following experience. I have for years had a weak stomach attended with constipation, and never found but one preparation that helped me and that soon wore out and lost its effect, and I was again a sufferer till I tried Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla. It has thoroughly reorganized me. I had one of the most sensitive of stomachs and was in continual distress, but can with the aid of Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla now eat any and every thing with my old accustomed freedom. I am both surprised and delighted, and gladly recommend it."

CLARA MELVIN, Manicure, 125 Kearney street, S. F.

Going Deep for Water.

An artesian well at Mojave is now down about 1,700 feet. A stratum of rock is now being bored through, and it is expected that flowing water will be found under it. At a depth of less than 200 feet good water was found, but it would not rise high enough to flow.

KEEP TO THE RIGHT.

Do not be imposed on by any of the numerous imitations, substitutes, etc., which are flooding the world. There is only one Swift's Specific, and there is nothing like it. Our remedy contains no Mercury, Potash, Arsenic, or any poisonous substance whatever. It builds up the general health from the first dose, and has never failed to eradicate contagious blood poison, and its effects from the system. Be sure to get the genuine. Send your address for our Treatise on Blood and Skin Diseases, which will be mailed free. SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Atlanta, Ga.

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Reno's Popular Hotel.

THE RIVERSIDE IS OFFERING new attractions to the guests every day.

THE ROOMS are well ventilated and lighted and sunny.

THE BOARD is of the best, both in quality and quantity. The finest meats, fish and fowl in the market.

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Give us a call and be convinced.

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MONDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1890,

We inaugurate our Grand Annual Clearance Sale, with a Sweeping and General Cut in Prices throughout the remainder of our Winter Stock of Dry Goods, which includes an immense quantity of seasonable goods that must be disposed of before the arrival of Spring importations. As examples of the Matchless Bargains Offered in Every Department, we append a number of attractive lines of

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- 15 DOZEN Ladies' Merino Undergarments, sizes, 30 to 38, at only 25 cents each.
- 15 DOZEN Misses' All Wool, Well Finished Cashmere Hose, in Black, Garnet, Navy and Sea Brown, splendid quality, down to 25 cents per pair.
- 15 PIECES Roller Toweling will be sold at 5 cents per yard.

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AT 50 CENTS, 40 Pieces Marbled Silk Plush in all the leading Shades, worth 75 cents.

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- AT 50 CENTS, 10 Pieces Black Real Mohair Siddim 54 inches wide, worth 75 cents.
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- AT 75 CENTS, 6 Pieces Black Real Mohair Siddim, 40 inches wide, worth \$1.00.
- AT 50 CENTS, 10 Pieces Double Fold, full yard wide, Cashmere Serge, all desirable colors, including Black, down to 20 cents per yard.
- AT 40 CENTS, 10 Pieces Excellent Quality French Cashmere, in all the leading colors, usual price, 65 cents.
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There will be bargains offered in Flannels, Blankets, Comforters; bargains in Domestic

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Extraordinary Inducements Will Be Offered in Carpets, Oil Cloth and Wall Paper.

It is our desire to make this Clearance Sale a lasting remembrance, and will therefore place on sale many articles enumerated in this list. Be on hand early MONDAY, FEBRUARY 17, and secure some of the many bargains offered.

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## LEGAL.

### Publication of Summons.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE State of Nevada, in and for the county of Washoe. The State of Nevada, by and through the undersigned, its Attorney at Law, is hereby notified that it has filed in said court a complaint against you as defendant in No. 10,353, against you as plaintiff in the District Court of the State of Nevada, in and for the county of Washoe, and answers the complaint therein within ten days after the service on you of this summons (exclusive of the day of service), if served in said county, or twenty days if served out of said county, but within said district, and in all other cases forty days, or judgment by default will be taken against you according to the prayer of said complaint. The said action is brought to recover against you a judgment and decree of divorce on the complaint of the plaintiff herein, in which complaint you are charged with having been united in marriage at Reno, in the county of Washoe, State of Nevada, January 27, 1888; that you and plaintiff have not lived or cohabited as husband and wife since about August 30, 1888; that you have not at any time since said marriage contributed to her support; that you went away from Reno, Nevada, about the first of November, 1888; that you abandoned plaintiff about August 30th, aforesaid, and have not since said August 30th recognized her as your wife; that she charges against you abandonment and failure to support her and failure to provide for her the common necessities of life for more than one year preceding her complaint made and filed, which failure to support and provide for her is not a result of poverty that could not have been avoided by you by ordinary industry. She claims against you the custody of your minor child, on the ground that you are incompetent to care for him or to have dominion over him, all of which will more fully appear from the complaint which is on file in the office of the Clerk of said Court at Reno, in said county, and to which you are especially referred. And you are further notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint, the said plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded and for costs of suit. In testimony whereof, I, William Webster, have hereunto set my hand this 21st day of January, A. D. 1890.

WILLIAM WEBSTER,  
Attorney for Plaintiff.

### Annual Report

OF THE NEVADA MINING AND RE-duction Company, the undersigned, Mr. Selden F. Marvin and Edward Young, trustees of the Nevada Mining and Reduction Company, and representing a majority of the Board of Trustees, and the said Selden F. Marvin being President of said company, and said Edward Young Secretary and Treasurer thereof, do hereby make the following report to-wit:

1st. The capital stock of said company is one hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

2d. That the whole of said capital stock has been actually paid in by the issue of stock in payment for the lands, monies, rights and property of the company.

3d. That there are no existing debts of the company so far as known.

SELDEN F. MARVIN, [s] all  
EDWIN YOUNG, [s] all

STATE OF NEW YORK, ss.  
County of Albany, ss.  
Selden F. Marvin being duly sworn, deposes and says he is President of the above mentioned company and one of the Trustees thereof; that he has read the foregoing report subscribed by him and the same is true to the best of his knowledge and belief. SELDEN F. MARVIN.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me, January 20, 1890. Notary Public, Albany Co. N. Y.

### United States Land Office.

SACRAMENTO CITY, CAL.,  
January 6, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IN compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1890, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the State of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," Robert Fulton, of the county of Washoe, State of Nevada, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 10,353, for the purchase of the SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 and SW 1/4 of Section No. 8, in Town 19 N. Range 10 E. of the 1st Meridian, and offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office, at Sacramento, Cal., on Tuesday, the first day of April, 1890.

He names as witnesses: J. P. Foulkes of Verdi, P. O., Nevada; T. K. Stewart of Reno, P. O., Nevada; James Mayberry of Reno, P. O., Nevada; F. L. Gould of Reno, P. O., Nevada. And all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before the first day of April, 1890.

SELDEN HETZEL, Register.

### Notice to Creditors.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE State of Nevada, in and for the county of Churchill.

In the matter of the estate of M. W. Hoyt, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of M. W. Hoyt, deceased, to the creditors of said estate, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at his place of business, about two miles north of Silverwater, and known as Kaiser's Ranch, in said county of Churchill.

CHARLES KAISER,  
Administrator of the Estate of M. W. Hoyt, deceased.  
Dated at Reno, January 6, 1890.

### Notice to Creditors.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL persons having claims or demands against the estate of Alexander McIntosh, deceased, to present the same to the executor of said estate at the law office of W. Webster at Reno, in the county of Washoe, State of Nevada, for allowance, together with the proper proofs and vouchers, within ten months from the time of the first publication of this notice. All claims and demands not presented for allowance within the time above stated will be forever barred.

Dated this January 6, 1890.

JAMES J. GRANT, Executor.

### Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Edward Dalton, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THOSE persons having claims or demands against the estate of Edward Dalton, deceased, to present the same for allowance, with the proper proofs, to the administrator, at the office of W. Webster, at Reno, in the county of Washoe, State of Nevada, within five months from the date of the first publication of this notice.

Dated January 9, 1890.

MARY JANE DALTON, Administratrix.

### Notice of Dissolution.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing between R. S. Osburn and J. S. Shoemaker has been dissolved by mutual agreement. R. S. Osburn retiring from the business, and the party being authorized to make collections of outstanding bills. Business will be conducted at the old stand, under the firm name of J. S. Shoemaker & Company.

R. S. OSBURN,  
J. S. SHOEMAKER.

## EFFECT OF LIGHTNING.

### Numerous Deaths Occurring in All Parts of the World.

Curious and Appalling Freaks of This Modern and Unexpected Agent of Destruction—A Physician's Report of a Philadelphia Woman's Case.

The majority of deaths from lightning occurs in the level, open country, trees, villages and thickly built-up towns and cities, by their projections into the air, serving as conductors, and thereby protecting the inhabitants from direct stroke. The loss of life annually throughout the world is very great. In European Russia from 1870 to 1877 no less than 2,270 persons were killed by this cause. In Austria during the same time 1,700 persons were likewise killed. In Prussia it is reported that seventy persons are annually killed. Ten thousand persons are reported as having been struck during a period of nine-and-twenty years, with 2,253 deaths in France, while in the United States during 1870 alone 209 deaths from lightning were recorded.

The effects of lightning stroke are most interesting, curious and appalling. The general symptoms are usually of shock. There is often unconsciousness, sometimes coma, lasting from a few hours to even days; partial or complete loss of sight or hearing, associated with impairment of the other senses. The tissues may be burned superficially or deeply, the bones fractured and portions of the limbs torn off entirely. The tracks of lightning on the surface of the body may have a fancied resemblance to the branches of a tree, the main stems from which the branches lead off arising at any portion of the body. The skin in these tracks may be simply scarlet in color, slightly swelled or blistered, the branches tapering off until no larger than the scratch of a pin. They may pass in all directions from the place first struck or skip about from one part to another. This is due to the conduction of the current by the clothing, which if wet acts as an excellent conductor.

For the purpose of illustrating these effects the following report of a case is taken from the Philadelphia Medical News, reported by a physician who was on the spot at the time the accident occurred, Dr. J. B. Paige:

"The current struck the chimney of the house and passed down the studding near the window to an iron hook on which was suspended a chain and a bird cage, passed from the top of the head of the lady, sitting just inside the window, and, beneath the cage, above the left eye, midway between the eyebrow and hair, which was apparently the part nearest the corner of the bird cage; passed along in front of the ear, then to the central line of the chest, descending by the stocking supporter, which was attached to the corsets; thence to the top of the stockings, leaving marks upon both limbs, but more especially upon the left, on the back of which, just above the knee joint, was a burn about the size of one's hand. It had the appearance of an ordinary burn, and was only superficial. No trace of the current could be detected again until the foot was reached, from which it passed off by the joint of the great toe, tearing a place about two inches in diameter in the stocking and slipper, but not leaving the slightest mark upon the skin. With the exception of the burned spot on the posterior part of the left leg, and one or two small burns on the body and the right leg, congested lines alone marked the course of the electricity in its passage over the body.

"Her condition was found to be as follows: Completely unconscious; motionless; muscles relaxed; left eye closed, right eye open; face purple; pulse at wrist imperceptible; neither heart sounds nor respiratory sounds to be heard. At once artificial breathing was resorted to, and in from two to three minutes the first sign of life appeared in a movement of the left leg. The blue color faded from the face and the pulse was felt at the wrist. Soon a new train of symptoms set in. There was difficult respiration. The mucus and saliva, which were very abundant, had gravitated back and could not be swallowed because of complete paralysis of the pharynx, etc. There was, in fact, paralysis of almost all the muscles of the uppermost parts of the body, including the arms. The symptoms were those exhibited by an animal when being asphyxiated; violent muscular contraction; difficult and forced respiration, etc. Under continued efforts consciousness returned in three-quarters of an hour. A period of four weeks elapsed before all the senses and her general health were restored and all paralysis had disappeared.

In this, according to the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, do we see the effect of lightning in a pronounced degree, and there can be no doubt but that this person would have died from the effects if the physician had not been present to at once resort to artificial or forced respiration and wrap the body to maintain the heat necessary for life.

### GRANT'S HORSEMANSHIP.

An Incident That Occurred After the Battle of Fort Hudson.

"Speaking of General Grant's fine horsemanship," said General N. P. Banks to a New York Tribune reporter, "reminds me of an incident that occurred soon after the battle of Fort Hudson, in which he gave me the race of my life. General Grant paid the army under my command a visit at the period mentioned and was asked to review it. He brought with him no horses, and I loaned him for the occasion the magnificent bay parade horse which the patriotic citizens of Massachusetts presented to me when I went to the front in 1862. All of my old soldiers will remember that bay horse. I rode on the review a thoroughbred black mare, and I was in a constant state of anxiety lest she would run away with me when warmed up. Well, the troops were drawn up in line and we rode down the front lines at a slow pace, but when we reached the rear lines Grant would put the bay at his utmost speed, and as he was near, Grant sat on the bay as if he was part of him, but the difficulty I found myself in was not to keep up at the regulation distance, but to prevent my animal from distancing the General and running off with me. Grant rode

like a demon and I after him until the review was finished, the troops in the meantime watching the scene with interest mingled with astonishment. For some days afterward the troops were heard discussing the event and, as far as I can learn, never settled the question as to whether it was a horse-race or a military review."

"While on the subject of horses," continued the General, "the two animals that I took with me into the field at the outbreak of the civil war survived all of the campaigns in which I was engaged. When I returned to civil pursuits I took my horses back to Massachusetts with me and kept the faithful animals until they died. The bay horse which I have mentioned I rarely used except on parade or in an emergency. He was too valuable to risk his life on the field of battle. I usually rode another bay in battle, a big, powerful and zealous animal. He was wounded on several occasions, but none of the wounds seemed to be serious enough to incapacitate him for active service. I rode him at the battle of Cedar Mountain."

### FORREST'S LAST BILL.

A Lone Ten-Dollar Note That Proved a Mascot at Poker.

Speaking of General Forrest, the cavalry hero of the war, who killed more men with his saber than any other one soldier on either side, the Florida Times-Union says that he returned to Memphis after the surrender with his wife and with only a ten-dollar bill in his pocket. Mrs. Forrest was a lady of the most quiet, amiable Christian virtues, and the only person, by the way, who had any control of the "wizard of the saddle" while in a passion. One touch of her gentle hand, one soft, tender word, would calm his most tempestuous moods in a moment.

Sitting alone together the night of their return to Memphis, General Forrest said: "Mary, I know you are a strict church member and have always opposed cards. But this ten dollars is all there is on earth between us and the poor-house. Won't you consent to my going out to-night and hunting up a game of draw? And won't you pray that I may win while I am out?"

In vain the good woman protested. It was a sin in the sight of God, she said, and sin could not finally prosper. He went, found the party he wanted and began the game. The cards ran his way from the first and his winnings grew so large that he set his beaver on the floor beside him and used it as a depository. About two o'clock in the morning he lifted his tile, bent his head down and placed the card carefully on it, retaining the money in his hand. Reaching his home he emptied his winnings into Mrs. Forrest's lap, saying: "Mary, count it." She found that he had upward of \$1,500—a sum which gave him a good start in life after having lost all. "I believe," said he, relating the incident to some friends, "that Mary, in spite of her objections, really prayed for me while I was gone. At any rate I found her still sitting up when I got back, and know her prayers have many and many a time served me a good turn."

### AN EGREGIOUS CHUMP.

How a Young Legal Luminary Killed His Father's Golden Calf.

Being told that in one of the Russian law courts there is a case which has been on the docket for more than four hundred years, says the Washington Post, we are reminded of the humiliating fact that our own beloved country is very young. Still we are proud to say that in the brief time of our Nation's existence we have succeeded in accumulating a large and choice assortment of cases which may not only show our excellent intentions but give evidence that in time we will have the most elaborate and costly collection of antique law cases in the civilized world. We believe we have no such chumpish lawyers as the one on whom the story is told in London. When he was a young man his father retired from business, leaving the business to him. Within a week the young lawyer came home and proudly proclaimed:

"Well, father, I have done in three days what you couldn't do in all the years of your practice."

"What is that, my son?"

"I have settled that Noa estate case."

"Settled it, my son? Settled it, did you say?"

"Yes, father, I settled it in three days, and I could have done it in one if the judge had been at home."

"Young man," said the astounded parent, "you are an ass, a consummate ass. Why, sir, four generations of your ancestors have lived on that case and grown rich, and you and your children's children might have done the same if you had not been an egregious ass."

### A Numerous Family.

There are some good-sized families in Maine to-day, but probably none so large as one mentioned in the histories of old colonial days. It is told on the first Royal Governor of Boston was one of a family of twenty-six children, and was born in the woods of Maine near the mouth of the Kennebec in 1651. His mother was left a widow when he was a child, and is said to have had all she could do to provide for the wants of her family. It is hoped that when the Governor got \$100,000, a knighthood and a goblet valued at \$5,000 as a reward for finding a Spanish treasure ship that had gone to the bottom half a century before, he remembered his mother and made her last days easier than her earlier ones had been.

### Why We Sink in Quicksand.

Quicksand is composed chiefly of small particles of mica mixed largely with water. The mica is so smooth that the fragments slip upon each other with the greatest facility, so that any heavy body which displaces them will sink, and continue to sink until a solid bottom is reached. When particles of sand are ragged and angular any weight pressing on them will crowd them together until they are compacted into a solid mass. A sand composed of mica or soapstone, when mixed with sufficient water, seems incapable of such consolidation.

### What a Knot Means.

Comparatively few newspaper readers know, or have any special reason to know, that a knot is more than a mile, and that six of the former equal about seven of the latter. Accurately speaking, there are 6,086.7 feet in a knot and 5,280 feet in a mile.

## WANTED ASSISTANCE.

How a Knight of the Road Attacked a Meeting of Deacons.

The trustees had just begun the business of their monthly meeting, and Deacon Smith had the floor, says the New York Evening Sun. They were legislating for one of South Norwalk's most prosperous churches. Two of the members had late business engagements in the city, and Deacon Smith's shop on the main street, near the station, had been chosen for the meeting this month for the sake of convenience. The deacon was well under way when the outer door was seen to open slightly, and he paused to note the cause of the interruption.

Connecticut is famed for the extensive variety of its tramps, and one of the most interesting type now appeared. His entrance into the room was made in a thoroughly original manner. When the door was sufficiently ajar to admit of his head it popped in on the astonished deacons, surmounted by a most dilapidated hat and complemented by a smiling face and a full, ragged beard. When he became asked what he wanted, he opened the door wide, and with another glance of satisfaction on the benevolent faces that surrounded him, he softly closed the door behind him and stepped jauntily forward, with his hat in his hand. His hair hung down over his face in a rakish way, but with a graceful sweep of his long arm he caught up a wad of it in his hand and laid it back from his forehead. He had on a long frock coat fastened closely around his waist by a thorn, and from the flowing flap above coiled out the ends of a much-soiled handkerchief. His closely-fitting trousers, through numerous portals of which protruded his interesting self, seemed to run without any dividing line into the shoe and boot which respectively incased his feet.

The deacons had time to note these peculiarities before the stranger broke the silence. His voice seemed to emanate from that particular boot and emerged with a most pronounced French accent, which will here be omitted.

"Gentlemen," he began, "your pardon for disturbing you, but I am very sick." He paused after this announcement to note the effect.

"I went to the doctor," he soon continued, "and he gave me the pills—see, the pills," and he held up to view a small bottle which he had in the palm of his hand.

"He said take the pills, three after each meal, and I would like very much to have some assistance."

"Well, why in thunder don't you take your pills, then, and not come bothering here!" interposed a deacon who was becoming tired.

"Gentlemen," replied the tramp, with much unctious, "I can not take the pills; I have no meal."

He got that meal.

### A SHOP-GIRL'S PROTEST.

She Doesn't Want the Sympathy of Mis-guided Philanthropists.

The Chicago Tribune recently received the following from a retail house on State street:

"I want to protest against this twaddle about the poor shop-girl. I have been it rung in my ears for weeks, day and night. And from people who know nothing about our business and really care less. I am tired of being pointed out as a weary shop-girl. I am tired of being asked the question by people whom I never saw before and probably will never see again until I run up against them in the next world, and then I shall expect them to say to me 'You poor, tired thing. You look too weary to twang your harp.'"

"Let me tell these sympathetic creatures something. We do get tired. So do the bank clerks, and I suppose there is such a thing as newspaper men tiring. But they are never singled out as we are objects of sympathy. You may think I am ungrateful. I am not. I don't want any so-called sympathy from strangers. Besides, I would like to inform the sympathizers that the average shop-girl of to-day is better off for being such. She is well treated by her employer. Of course she has to work. She is not employed as a picture. I know one manager in Chicago who never allows a girl in search of work to leave his place without one day's pay in her pocket. If she is worthy she may be retained. During the crowded season just passed I know of many shop-girls who were not only given extra pay and furnished with lunches and dinners, but given valuable presents, and their home people were, in some instances, remembered by managers and employers. Many did not receive such consideration, and I have no doubt that in a majority of such cases they did not receive it because they did not merit it. If the shop-girl attends to her business she will get along all right and won't need so much sympathy."

### Why the Barber Pole Is Striped.

Anciently barbers performed minor operations in surgery, particularly bleeding. To assist in this operation the patient would grasp a staff or pole which was always kept by the barber-surgeons. To this staff was tied the tape used in bandaging the patient's arm. When not in use the pole was hung outside as a sign of the duties performed within. Later the identical pole used by patients was not exhibited as a sign, but instead a painted pole was placed beside the doorway. At first surgeons' poles were painted red and white striped, while those of more barbers were required to be white and blue. This law was enforced in England up to 1792.—St. Louis Republic.

### Canning on the Hand.

A father sued an English schoolmaster for assault because he had caned his boy on the hand. The magistrate before whom it was first tried thought that the father was right, for the reason that caning on the hand was attended by a risk of injury, and there were "methods of corporal punishment quite as available, efficacious and not necessarily attended with any risk which the defendant might have used." The higher court, though, decided that it was not actionable.

### Apples Will Keep Cakes Moist.

Two apples kept in a cake-box will keep moderately rich cake moist a great length of time, if the apples are renewed when withered.



A sea-serpent, 103 feet long, was seen to coil itself up in slippery folds on the coast of Florida last month. Three reliable persons saw this creature distinctly. Reader, the above is a "fact." If people would believe the following truthful statement as readily as they swallow sea-serpent stories, it would be the means of saving thousands of lives. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, if taken in time and given a fair trial, will actually cure consumption of the lungs, which is really a curable disease. If this wonderful medicine does not do all we recommend, when taken as directed, we will cheerfully and promptly return all money paid for it. Can any offer be more generous or fair? No other medicine possesses sufficient power over that fatal malady—Consumption, to warrant its manufacturers in selling it under such trying conditions. The "Golden Medical Discovery" is not only the most wonderful alternative, or blood-purifier, known to medical science, but also possesses superior nutritive and tonic, or strength-giving properties, which assist the food to digest and become assimilated, thus building up both strength and flesh. For all cases of Bronchitis, Throat and Lung Disease, accompanied with lingering coughs, it is absolutely unequalled.

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Reno Chapter No. 7, R. A. M.

THE STATED CONVOCATIONS OF RENO Chapter No. 7, R. A. M., are held at Masonic Hall on the evening of the first Thursday of each month, commencing at 8 o'clock sharp. All sojourning companions in good standing are fraternally invited to attend. By order of the R. H. P. L. L. CROCKETT, Secretary.

**I. O. O. F.**  
RENO LODGE NO. 19, I. O. O. F., meets at their hall on Chestnut street, over the Congregational Church, Thursdays evenings at 8 o'clock. Visiting members in good standing are cordially invited to attend. BENTON FEICK, N. G. ALEX. BACKUS, Secretary. oc11

**Dissolution of Partnership.**  
THE CO-PARTNERSHIP NOW AND heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm name and style of S. Francisco & Co., at Reno, Nev., this day dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Gregory retiring, and Mr. Francisco acquiring and continuing the business, assuming all the debts of the firm, and acquiring all accounts due the firm. J. S. GREGORY, S. FRANCISCO. oc11

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